said convicts shall have all the authority conferred by law on the authorities of the State Penitentiary in the working, guarding and retaining in custody such convicts.

SEC. 33. That nothing in this act shall be construed to release the Bridges. board of commissioners of Moore County from the duty of building and maintaining all bridges on the public roads of said county, as is now provided by law.

SEC. 34. Each township in said county and the highway commis- Parks, gardens and sion of said county are authorized and empowered to accept con- and public places. veyances of real estate for the use of parks, gardens, or public places, whether adjacent to or near any public highway, and to hold the same for such purposes and for the use of the public at large, and to make such improvements upon said parks, gardens or public Improvements. places as in their discretion they may deem expedient, and for that purpose are authorized and empowered to accept gifts or donations for the improvement of such parks, gardens or public places, and are authorized and empowered to make all suitable rules and regulations for the proper management, improvement and government of such parks, gardens or public places to be kept open for the use of the public under said rules and regulations.

SEC. 35. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 36. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this 1st day of March, 1911.

CHAPTER 421.

AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DEPREDATION OF TURKEYS IN BAKERSVILLE TOWNSHIP, MITCHELL COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons Permitting turwho raise turkeys for the market or for other purposes to permit large forbidden. turkeys to run at large in Bakersville Township, Mitchell County, N. C., after being notified as set out in section two of this act, on the lands of any other person while such lands are under cultivation in any kind of grain or feed stuff or while being used for gardens or ornamental purposes.

SEC. 2. That any person so permitting his turkeys to run at large Misdemeanor. in the above-named territory, after having been notified to keep them up, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be Punishment. fined not less than five nor more than ten dollars.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 1st day of March, 1911.